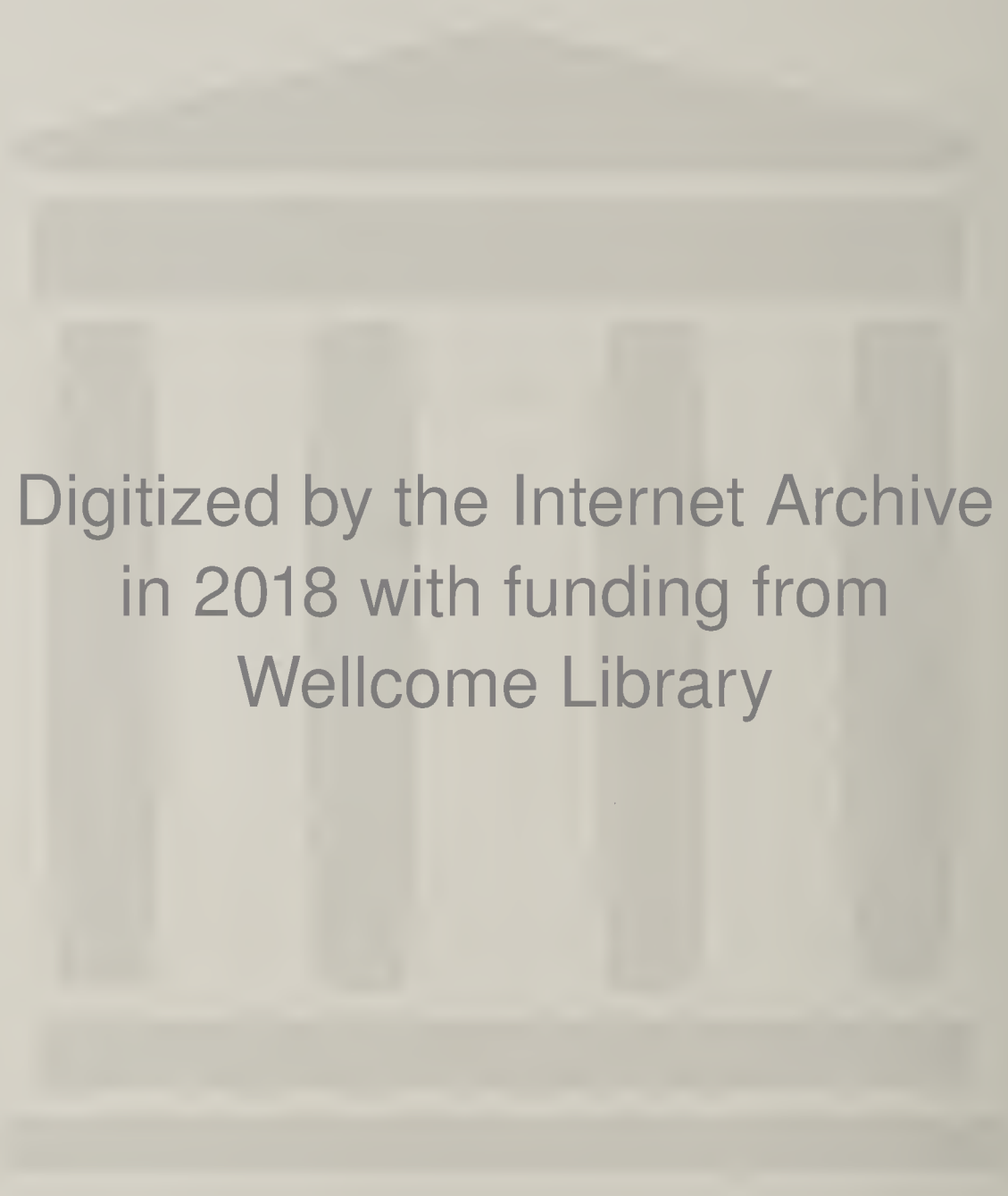




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and the
PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR
for the Year
1965 .



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FOREWORD

Public Health Office
Health Centre
Swanage.

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of the
Borough of Wareham

Mr. Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors,

I have the honour to present my second Annual Report on the health and sanitary condition of the Borough of Wareham for the year 1965. Included in the report is a summary of the Public Health Inspector's work for the year, compiled by Mr. J. R. Tanner.

There was no serious outbreak of infectious disease during the year.

The estimated population of the Borough at mid 1965 showed an increase of 80 on the mid 1964 estimate and 232 on the census population of 1961.

Undue importance cannot be attached to the rates for vital statistics but the comparative rates compare favourably with those for England and Wales as a whole. It is noteworthy that there were no stillbirths and no infant deaths in the Borough during 1965.

The Public Health Inspector was unable to visit as a matter of routine food premises, offices and shops as required by the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963. The situation has been eased since the beginning of 1966, by the appointment of a Technical Assistant.

Wareham stands at the gateway to the Isle of Purbeck, but the boundary is virtually the British Railways permanent way instead of the River Frome. There is no doubt that the level-crossing gates give rise to mental stress. The resulting mortality and morbidity cannot be estimated as accidents caused by motorists driving dangerously after frustrating delays may take place many miles away.

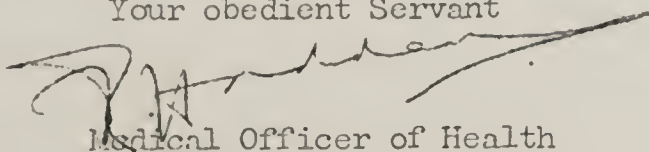
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I am most grateful to Members of the Council and to my fellow-colleagues, especially Mr. J. R. Tanner, for their helpful co-operation.

I have the honour to be

Your obedient Servant


Medical Officer of Health

August, 1966.

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICERS

Medical Officer of Health

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Public Health Inspector

J. R. TANNER, M.S.I.A.,

The Medical Officer of Health holds in addition the following appointments -

Medical Officer of Health to the Swanage Urban District Council and to the Wareham and Purbeck Rural District Council. Senior Assistant County Medical Officer and School Medical Officer, Dorset County Council.

Office accommodation and clerical assistance are provided for the Medical Officer of Health jointly by the Authorities concerned.

The Public Health Inspector in addition to his statutory duties is also the Borough Surveyor and Petroleum Officer.

The Committees of the Council concerned with matters of public health are the Law and General Purposes Committee, the Waterworks and Sewerage Works Committee and the Housing Committee.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Area of the Borough	...	...	...	710 acres	
Population	...	...	at Census 1961	...	3,098
			as estimated by Registrar General mid 1964	...	3,250
			as estimated by Registrar General mid 1965	...	3,330
Number of inhabited houses	...		at end of 1964	...	1,015
Number of inhabited houses	...		at end of 1965	...	1,051
Total rateable value at 1st. April, 1965	...		...	...	£123,603
Product of a 1d. rate 31st. March, 1965	...		...	...	£ 492.10.1d

VITAL STATISTICS

Area comparability factors - Births 1.21 Deaths 0.56

					<u>Comparative Rates</u>	
<u>Live Births</u>		<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Wareham</u> <u>Borough</u>	<u>England</u> <u>& Wales</u>
Total registered	...	52	28	24		
Legitimate	...	50	26	24		
Illegitimate	...	2	2	-		
Rate per 1000 population	15.6				18.7	18.0
Illegitimate live births (per cent of total live births)					3.8	

<u>Still Births</u>		<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>		
Total registered	...	-	-	-		
Legitimate	...	-	-	-		
Illegitimate	...	-	-	-		
Rate per 1000 total live and still births					Nil	15.7

<u>Deaths</u>		<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>		
Total registered	...	57	27	30		
Rate per 1000 population	17.1				9.6	11.5

<u>Infant Deaths (under 1 year)</u>		<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>		
Total registered	...	-	-	-		
Legitimate	...	-	-	-		
Illegitimate	...	-	-	-		

Infant Mortality Rates

Total infant deaths per 1000 total live births	...	Nil	19.0
Legitimate infant deaths per 1000 legitimate live births		Nil	
Illegitimate infant deaths per 1000 illegitimate live births		Nil	

Neo-natal Mortality Rate (deaths under four weeks per 1000 total live births) ... Nil

Early neo-natal Mortality Rate (deaths under one week per 1000 total live births) Nil

Perinatal Mortality Rate (Stillbirths and Deaths under one week combined per 1000 total live and still births) Nil

Maternal Mortality (including abortion)

Number of deaths	...	...	...	Nil
Rate per 1000 total live and still births			...	Nil

CAUSES OF DEATH AT DIFFERENT PERIODS OF LIFE DURING 1965

(Registrar General's Official Return)

Cause of Death	Total all Ages	Under 4 Weeks		4 Weeks & under 1 year		1 - 5		5 - 15		15 - 25		25 - 35		35 - 45		45 - 55		55 - 65		65 - 75 and over	
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1. Tuberculosis, respiratory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2. Tuberculosis, other forms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Syphilitic disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Whooping cough	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Meningococcal infection	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Acute poliomyelitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Measles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Other infective and parasitic diseases	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. Malignant neoplasm, stomach	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11. Malignant neoplasm, lung, bronchus	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
12. Malignant neoplasm, breast	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13. Malignant neoplasm, uterus	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Other malignant and lymphatic neoplasms	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	3
15. Leukaemia, aleukaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Diabetes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17. Vascular lesions of nervous system	4	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	8
18. Coronary disease, angina	7	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	2	3	-
19. Hypertension with heart disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20. Other heart disease	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-

Causes of Death at Different Periods of Life During 1965 - continued

Cause of Death	Total all Ages		Under 4 Weeks		4 Weeks & under 1 year		1 - 5		5 - 15		15 - 25		25 - 35		35 - 45		45 - 55		55 - 65		65 - 75 and over	
	M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
21. Other circulatory disease	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
22. Influenza	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Pneumonia	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	7
24. Bronchitis	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
25. Other diseases of respiratory system	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Ulcer of stomach and duodenum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Gastritis, enteritis and diarrhoea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
28. Nephritis and nephrosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29. Hyperplasia of prostate	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
30. Pregnancy, childbirth, abortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Congenital malformations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32. Other defined and ill-defined diseases	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
33. Motor vehicle accidents	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
34. All other accidents	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35. Suicide	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
36. Homicide and operations of war	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total all Causes	27	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	1	3	8	3	12	24

SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE AREA

WATER SUPPLY

The Poole and East Dorset Water Board supply and distribute water throughout the Borough. The Worgret Waterworks which belonged previously to the Council obtains its supply from a shallow well with a high iron content. Its water is pumped to the part of the Borough south of the railway gates and east of Westport House. The rest of the Borough is supplied by "Poole" water from Sturminster Marshall and/or Corfe Mullen. The water from Corfe Mullen is softened but that from Sturminster Marshall is not. Discolourisation of water in parts of the Borough is due to rust deposited in the pipes in the past.

Source and Treatment Applied

<u>Source</u>	<u>Type of Source</u>	<u>Depth</u>	<u>Treatment applied</u>
Corfe Mullen	Well & Borehole	170 ft.	Lime softening, rapid gravity filtration, chlorination and post ammoniation.
Sturminster Marshall	Well	280 ft.	Chlorination and post ammoniation.
Worgret	Well	30 ft.	Iron removal and pH correction, pressure filtration and chlorination.

Plumbo Solvency

Only the raw water from Worgret had any plumbo-solvency and that was corrected during the iron removal process continuously applied at the pumping station. During the year the Board pumped 58 gallons from the Worgret well.

Bacteriological Examination

Thirty-five samples of the raw Worgret water were taken by the Board's Inspector, 33 of which were placed in Class I of the Ministry of Health's bacteriological classification. One sample was placed in Class II and one in Class IV. The Board's Inspector also took 48 samples of the distributed water, all of these were placed in Class I after bacteriological examination.

The Public Health Inspector took 18 samples from consumers' taps for bacteriological examination by the Public Health Laboratory service in Dorchester. Sixteen of these were reported as satisfactory and 2 as unsatisfactory.

Chemical Analyses

Frequent checks of chlorine residual were made in the control of treatment plants and in samples taken from mains and consumers' taps throughout the area of supply.

The following analysis of the raw Worgret water was made by the Poole and East Dorset Water Board on 16th. June, 1965 -

Chemical Results in Milligrammes Per Litre

Appearance - slight turbidity, yellowish.

pH	5.9	Taste & Odour - pleasant taste, odourless.	
Hardness: Total	64	Temporary	32
		Permanent	32
Total Solids, dried at 180°C	170	Fluorine	-
Chlorine in Chlorides	25		
Nitrates	0.7	Nitrites	0.003
Free Ammonia	0.11	Albuminoid Ammonia	0.06
Metals , Iron	1.08		
Alkalinity as Ca CO ₃	30		
Free Carbon Dioxide	80		
Residual Chlorine	-		
E.C. at 20°C per cm ³	193		

Bacteriological Results

Number of Bacteria growing on Agar per ml in 24 hrs. at 37°C	-	0
" " " " " " " " " 48 hrs at 37°C	-	0
Coli-aerogenes Count per 100 ml	-	0
Escherichia coli Count per 100 ml	-	0

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL

During the year a further stage was reached in the provision of a Joint Sewage Disposal Works at Sandford in conjunction with the Wareham and Purbeck Rural District. A hearing was held in respect of a Compulsory Purchase Order for the acquisition of the site. Before the end of the year it was reported that the Order had been confirmed.

The existing sewerage works are grossly overloaded and proper purification and disposal are not possible. In addition the Borough receives sewage from some 60 dwellings in the Bestwall area and some 60 dwellings in the Carey Road area; a new industrial site will eventually be connected. These are all in the Rural District.

Number of dwellings not connected to sewer	11
Number of dwellings with pail closets	Nil
Number of dwellings with cesspools or septic tanks	11
Number of cesspools/septic tanks closed during the year	Nil
Number of dwellings connected to sewer during the year	15

The sewerage system consists of three pumping stations situated at South Bestwall, North Bridge and Northport. The disposal works is situated on eight acres of land at Sandford Lane. The Carey Estate is pumped into Carey Road and gravitates to the Northport Pumping Station. The new Council Estate at Sandford Road and adjoining private houses is pumped into Sandford Road and gravitates to the Northport Pumping Station.

The Disposal Works consists of:-

- 1 Balancing tank - capacity 7,814 gallons
- 2 Dortmund tanks - capacity 39,060 gallons
- 8 Sludge drying beds - area 8,100 sq. ft.

SANITARY INSPECTION OF THE AREA

Summary of Inspections

Bakehouses	2	Public Conveniences	12
Building Byelaws	259	Public Health Acts	58
Butchers Shops	6	Petroleum Acts	11
Cafes	5	Refuse collection and disposal	6
Carvan Sites	4	Schools	2
Drainage & Sewerage	65	Sewage Disposal & sewerage	38
Food Premises	5	Samples - water	16
Food Inspection	17	Miscellaneous	304
Factories	5		
Housing Acts	6		
Housing repairs	643		
Total 1,464			

Statutory and Informal Notices

<u>Notices</u>	<u>No. served</u>	<u>Complied with</u>	<u>Outstanding</u>
Informal	3	3	Nil
Statutory	Nil	Nil	Nil

Control of Moveable Dwellings

There are two caravan sites in the Borough; one is situated on the North Causeway and the lessee is permitted to station up to 44 caravans including 20 residential; the other is situated off Sandford Lane near the Railway Hotel and is licensed for 8 caravans. Both sites are licensed under the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960. The larger site is provided with a sanitary block, drained to a septic tank and filter and this is regularly emptied. This site is well maintained. The smaller site is provided with all services and each caravan is connected individually to the Council's sewer. No complaints have been received.

Refuse Collection and Disposal

The Council own one "Karrrier" Bantam Vehicle and one Gibson Compression Vehicle. House and trade refuse collections are made. Collections have been made on two days in each week, but it has now become necessary to spread the weekly collection over three days, owing to the increased amount of both house and trade refuse. The service seems to work quite well and few complaints are received. The refuse is tipped in the Rural District and the tip is now being managed by a private firm for which a rental is paid.

Street Cleansing

The main streets are cleansed and swept daily and the minor streets as often as possible. Extra labour will be necessary when the new estate roads are taken over. Residents will expect a regular and reasonable cleansing service. There has been some improvement in regard to litter in the main shopping streets and it is hoped that this will continue.

Public Lavatories

There are two conveniences in the Borough situated at Howards Lane (women and men) and St. Johns Hill (men only). These are cleansed daily and the Howards Lane convenience is well maintained. The St. Johns Hill toilet is totally inadequate and is difficult to properly maintain. During the summer months toilet facilities are totally inadequate and conditions acute. The Council propose a new block situated on the Quay and steps are being taken to acquire a site.

Swimming Baths

There is one swimming bath in the Borough at the County Modern School for the use of the pupils. Seven samples of the water in the swimming bath were examined and reported to be satisfactory bacteriologically.

Bathing takes place in the River Frome near the Quay during the summer months. A sample taken from the centre of the river at low tide above South Bridge was reported as being polluted. There is no standard for river water and there is no evidence of disease being attributable to swimming in this river. A sample taken from the centre of the River Piddle above the Bridge at North Mill was also reported as being polluted.

Smoke Abatement and Clean Air Act, 1956

No action was necessary under this Act.

Petroleum Regulations and Acts.

Twelve licenses are in force for the storage of petroleum spirit. Visits are made to the premises as often as possible. There was no cause for complaint.

Disinfestation

Complaints were received of cockroaches in a part of the new River House Home at Streche Road. Regular treatments are being made of the affected area.

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD

Milk Supply

All bottled milk comes from outside the Borough. All milk sold is either pasteurised, tuberculin tested pasteurised or tuberculin tested as the Borough is part of a specified area under Section 37 of the Food and Drugs Act, 1955.

Number of milk distributors on Register 31.12.65 ... 10

Milk Sampling

During the year 22 samples of milk were taken in the Borough by the Food and Drugs Authority for examination. 21 samples passed the statutory tests and 1 sample failed the statutory tests.

Food Inspected and Condemned

Tinned goods	100 lbs.	Mutton	48 lbs.
Bacon	40 lbs.	Pork	100 lbs.
Beef	490 lbs.	Frozen Foods	61 lbs.
		Dried fruit	35 lbs.

There is no slaughterhouse in the Borough.

Food Premises

(1) Number of Food Premises by Type of Business in the Area

Grocers	9	Fishshops	2	Cafes & Restaurants	7
Greengrocers	5	Fried fishshops	2	Licensed premises	
Butchers	4	Sweets &		including hotels	14
Bakehouses	2	confectionery	7		

(2) Number of Food Premises by Type Registered

(a) Under Section 16 of the Food & Drugs Act, 1955

Manufacture of sausages and preserved foods	6
Fish Frying premises	2
Sale of ice-cream	20

(3) Number of Inspections of Registered Food Premises

Premises for manufacture of sausages	6
Fish frying premises	2
Ice-cream premises	15

Inspections of Food Premises Cafes etc.

Visits were made to many of the food premises in the Borough but in no cases were formal actions necessary. Your one public health inspector was fully committed with many other duties and it was not possible for visits to be made as often as he would have wished. I am glad that the Council have now provided some assistance and this should greatly assist in carrying out of these duties.

Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963.

By the end of the year no inspections had been carried out under the above Act, although a large number of premises had been registered. The appointment of a Technical Assistant to the Public Health Inspector from the 1st. January last has enabled a start to be made on inspections.

H O U S I N G

Fifteen private dwellings were erected during the year. No Council dwellings were erected. The Council have now let contracts for 12 flats and 4 maisonettes in Wyatts Lane/Church Street and 12 houses at Sandford Road and these are now in hand.

No. of houses inspected	4
No. of house inspections made	15
No. of informal notices served	4
No. of informal notices complied with	4
No. of statutory notices served	Nil
No. of houses reported under Section 16 of the Housing Act, 1957	Nil

Action taken by the Local Authority in respect of such houses -

(a) Demolition Orders made Nil

(b) Undertakings accepted for:-

(i) Closure	Nil
(ii) Reconditioning	Nil
(iii) Other action	Nil

Number of houses included in clearance areas for the year - Nil

Overcrowding

No cases of statutory overcrowding were reported during the year.

House Purchase and Housing Act, 1959

Housing Act, 1964

The following grants were made during the year:-

Discretionary Grants in respect of 8 dwellings
Standard Grants in respect of 2 dwellings.

Total improved to date - 125 dwellings.

No Applications were received for Certificates of Repair.

Housing Applications

Persons residing in the Borough	-	55
Persons residing outside the Borough	-	39
Aged Persons (Borough bungalows)	-	70

<u>Housing Programme</u>	<u>No. of Houses Proposed</u>	<u>Completed in 1965</u>	<u>Completed since 1945</u>
Sandford Road	36	-	24
Brixey's Lane	9 flats	-	9
Church Street/Wyatts Lane	16 flats	-	-

New Houses

Total number erected during 1965 - 15

Number erected with State assistance:-

(a) by Local Authority	Nil
(b) by other Bodies or Persons	Nil

<u>Houses owned by the Local Authority</u>	<u>Built Pre-war</u>	<u>Built since 1945</u>	<u>Total</u>
Permanent	103	174	276
Prefabricated	-	10	10

PREVALENCE AND CONTROL OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE

The incidence of notifiable infectious disease in the Borough continues to remain low. No case of diphtheria, acute poliomyelitis or enteric fever (typhoid and paratyphoid) was notified during the year. Also there was no case of the international quarantinable diseases, i.e. plague, cholera, yellow fever, smallpox, typhus and relapsing fever.

The absence of cases of diphtheria and whooping cough can be attributed to the effective immunisation of infants and young children against these diseases. Babies are immunised against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus (lockjaw) in the first six months of life. A reinforcing dose is given at eighteen months and again against diphtheria and tetanus just before entering school at five years. The quadruple vaccine which includes the Salk poliomyelitis vaccine combined with diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus vaccine is occasionally used by general practitioners.

The scheme for immunisation against acute poliomyelitis includes all persons up to age of forty years and certain priority groups above that age, who are likely to be exposed to special risks of infection. Almost all immunisation against poliomyelitis is by mouth with a modified live virus suspended in syrup or dropped on to sugar. A reinforcing dose by mouth is given to children when they enter school.

Primary vaccination against smallpox for babies is performed between twelve months and twentyfour months as advised by the Ministry of Health as being the safest age for this procedure. The multipressure technique is used in most cases.

Scarlet Fever

Although a mild disease now scarlet fever is still notifiable. Two cases were notified during the year.

Measles

Whilst 1965 was an epidemic year for measles only nine cases were notified compared with 105 in 1964. I feel most of the 105 cases notified in the latter part of 1964 were part of the 1965 "epidemic".

Tuberculosis

There were no new cases of tuberculosis notified during the year.

At five years old school entrants are tested for tuberculosis by the Heaf skin test. Very few positives are found and no positive child was found to have active tuberculosis. This testing is useful as it may give a lead to a relative who has not been diagnosed as tuberculous. At thirteen years of age school children are re-tested by the Heaf test. If still negative they are offered vaccination against tuberculosis with B.C.G.

Food Poisoning

In June there was an outbreak of food poisoning following an excursion to London Airport arranged by the Workshops Social Club at Bovington Camp. Ten persons from the Borough went on the trip and all suffered from food poisoning afterwards. Infected food must have been consumed at the restaurant where all the party had lunch on Sunday 20th. June, near London Airport. Most of the cases developed eighteen hours afterwards. Food handlers agreed to stop work with food, and resumed such work after specimens were proved to be negative bacteriologically. Clinically the infection resembled a salmonella infection, but no organism was isolated from any of the cases.

Vaccination and Immunisation Statistics, Wareham Borough 1965

Polio-myelitis				Diphtheria		Tetanus		Whooping Cough		Smallpox	
Oral		Salk									
Basic Course	R	P	R	P	R	P	R	P	R	P	R
76	61	-	-	77	95	92	84	77	44	68	-

(P = Primary Dose R = Reinforcing Dose)

Infectious Disease Notification (Corrected) Figures

Disease	1st. Qtr.	2nd. Qtr.	3rd. Qtr.	4th. Qtr.	Total	Admitted to Hospital
Scarlet fever	1	-	-	1	2	-
Measles	-	-	9	-	9	-
Food Poisoning	-	10	-	-	10	-

Cases of Infectious Disease Notified During 1965

Disease	Total	Age Groups									
		0 -	1 -	2 -	3 -	4 -	5 -	10 -	15 -	25 +	A.U.
Scarlet fever	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Measles	9		1	2	1	1	4	-	-	-	-
Food Poisoning	10	Under 5		5 - 14		15 - 44		45 - 64		65 +	A. U.
		-		-		1		9		-	-

Scabies and Verminous Conditions

There were no cases of scabies or verminous conditions reported during the year.

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948 - Section 47 (Removal of Persons in Need of Care
NATIONAL ASSISTANCE (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1951 and Attention to Suitable Premises)

It was not necessary to take formal action under this section of the Act during the year.

FACTORIES ACT, 1961

Part 1 of the Act

- 1 - INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health (including inspections made by the Public Health Inspectors)

Premises	Number on Register	Number of		
		Inspections	Written Notices	Occupiers Prosecuted
(i) Factories in which Sections 1,2,3,4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities	3	-	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority	33	5	-	-
(iii) Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority excluding outworkers premises	-	-	-	-
Total	36	5	-	-

- 2 - Cases in which DEFECTS were found

Particulars	Number of cases in which Defects were found				No.of cases in which prosecutions were instituted
	Found	Re- medied	Referred		
			To H.M. Inspector	By H.M. Inspector	
Want of cleanliness (S1)	-	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S2)	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temperature(S3)	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate ventilation (S4)	-	-	-	-	-
Ineffective drainage of floors (S6)	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary conveniences (S7)	-	-	-	-	-
(a) insufficient	-	-	-	-	-
(b) unsuitable or defective	-	-	-	-	-
(c) not separate for sexes	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to outwork)	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-

PART VIII of the Act

OUTWORK - Sections 133 and 134

Outworkers - Nil

